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1. IN JANUARY 5 BONN GROUP MEETING, FRENCH REP (DE BOISSIEU) REPORTED THE QUAI'S APPROVAL OF THE AD REF REPLIES TO THE NOVEMBER 15 SOVIET PROTEST CONCERNING THE MEETING IN BERLIN OF THE EC-GREECE MIXED PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEE AND THE NOVEMBER 16 DEMARCHE IN MOSCOW CONCERNING DIRECT ELECTIONS TO THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT. DE BOISSIEU, HOWEVER, DID PROPOSE AN AMENDMENT TO THE DRAFT RESPONSE ON DIRECT ELECTIONS WHICH WOULD ENTAIL THE DELETION OF THE FINAL SENTENCE OF PARA 4C IN REF B ("EQUALLY . . . IT") AND ITS REPLACEMENT WITH:

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"SUCH INCLUSION CONTRIBUTES TO THE MAINTENANCE AND DEVELOPMENT OF THE TIES BETWEEN THE WSB AND THE FRG, AS CONFIRMED IN THE QA, AND DOES NOT CIRCUMVENT THE SECOND PART OF THE RELEVANT PROVISION OF THE QA THAT THESE SECTORS CONTINUE NOT TO BE A CONSTITUENT PART OF THE FRG AND NOT TO BE GOVERNED BY IT."

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2. UK REP (HITCH) SAID HE HAD NOT YET RECEIVED LONDON'S VIEWS ON EITHER DRAFT REPLY. FRG REP (VON ARNIM) REPORTED APPROVAL OF THE EC-GREECE TEXT. HE ADDED THAT VAN WELL HAS APPROVED THE DIRECT ELECTIONS TEXT AND THAT IT HAD BEEN SENT ON TO GENSCHER FOR CONSIDERATION.

3. THE U.S. REP ACCEPTED THE AMENDMENT PROPOSED BY THE FRENCH TO THE DIRECT ELECTIONS REPLY. LACKING INSTRUCTIONS ON THE TEXT AS A WHOLE, HITCH AND VON ARNIM ACCEPTED IT ON AN AD REF BASIS.
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